

# The Daily Courant.

Friday, September 28. 1705.

From the Amft. and Leid. Gazettes, dated Oct. 1.

Cazeres, Sept. 9.

**T**HE Troops of the Portuguese and their Allies are not yet drawn together on the Frontier, notwithstanding they gave out they would take the Field by the End of last Month : The Cause of their Delay is suppos'd to be the great Heats that still continue, as also the scarcity of Water in the Country, for not only the Rivulers and Springs are dried up, but even in some Places of the Guadiana Men may pass over dry shod. This happens very fortunately for us, for had the Enemy taken the Field as they threaten'd, they would have found us in no Condition to make Head against them, the Forces that are encamp'd here consisting but of 11 French Battalions, the other 7 Battalions of that Nation being in several Places, viz. 2 in Cadiz, 3 in Badajoz, 1 in Alcantara, and the other at the Bridge of Alcana. The Horse encamp'd here, consists of but 16 Squadrons of French, the 3 other French Squadrons being at Cadiz, and 31 Squadrons of Spaniards. As for the Spanish Foot, there is not the number sufficient to garrison such Places as are judg'd necessary to be provided for Defence, so that there is none to be employ'd in the Field : and should the Enemy act in 2 sepearate Bodies as formerly, some of the French Battalions must be put into several Places for their better Security. The Enemy having sent great Store of Ammunition and Provisions to that Part of their Frontier that lies nearest to Badajoz, and the greatest Part of their Troops being to take the same Route, we take it for granted their Design is to lay Siege to that Place. The Marshal de Thesse will post his Troops between the Tagus and the Guadiana ; and has left Messieurs de Jeoffreville and Fienne with 10 Squadrons in Castile, between the Tagus and the Douro, to guard that Frontier which is 30 Miles in Extent. Monsieur de Legal lies sick of the Small-pox at Rodrigo. 2000 Spanish Horse are on the March for Catalonia from Andalousia. The Spanish Navarre has rais'd 4 Regiments for the King's Service, but they are not cloath'd and arm'd yet. To Morrow the Marshal de Thesse will go from hence to Merida, to confer with the Baron de Bay.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated October 1.

From Prince Eugene of Savoy's Camp at Treviglio, September 16. The 11th of this Month, several Deserters from the Enemy's Army under the Duke of Vendome came over to us, and reported that the heavy Baggage of their Army was sent over the Adda, and that a great Forrage would be made by their Troops the next Day. Whereupon some Parties were detach'd in the Evening from our Camp, to endeavour to take the Enemy's Foragers at some Disadvantage. The 12th our Parties return'd, one of 100 Horse excepted commanded by Captain Hoogberg : The reason was, the Enemy did not forrage that Day. The Count de Coningseck Major General, and Monsieur de St. Amour Lieutenant Colonel, were order'd to hold themselves ready to march the following Night, with a Detachment of 1000 Foot, 200 Grenadiers, and 200 Horse. The 14th 'twas whisper'd this De-

tachment was sent out to execute some Design of Consequence, and had taken with them Bread for 3 Days. Captain Hoogberg whith his Party rejoyn'd us ; he had not met with any of the Enemy's Parties. The 15th Count Coningseck sent Word to Prince Eugene, that having in the dark Night been led out of the Way by his Guides, he had thought fit to retire with his Men to Soncino, the better to conceal from the Enemy the Design he had to execute. To Day, the 16th, Major General Passinger was commanded out with some Troops, to get Intelligence whether the Duke of Vendome had made any Detachment to look after that commanded by the Count de Coningseck ; but he is come back, and reports that the Enemy keeping close in their Camp, he could not take any Prisoner or light on any other Person from whom he could learn any thing. We have heard nothing to Day from Count Coningseck.

From the Leid. and Amft. Gaz. dated October 1 and 2.

Venice, September 19. We have Advice from Brefcia, that the 2 Armies in Lombardy continue in their former Posts ; that the Imperialists have receiv'd a new Reinforcement of 2500 Men, together with 10 Pieces of Cannon ; that the Prince of Wurtemberg is almost cur'd of his Wound, and that the Prince of Anhalt Dessau is perfectly recover'd of his Indisposition ; that Prince Eugene having caus'd all the Barks on the Lake of Garda to be raken up to transport Troops and Cannon, and having also sent some Detachments towards the Po, 'tis presum'd he has a Design to open himself a Passage towards that River.

From the Amsterdam Courant, dated October 3.

From the French Camp at Rivalto, September 16. Prince Eugene of Savoy has sent out a Detachment, with Order ('tis said) to lay a Bridge over the Po : Whereupon some Troops are sent from hence, to reinforce those that are already posted on the 4 Navigios.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated October 2.

Donawert, Sept. 20. The new Levies of Troops in Bavaria are continued ; and that Electorate is order'd to furnish with all Expedition 12000 Men, of which 'tis believ'd 8 or 9000 will march to Italy, and the rest to Hungary. There will be a very plentiful Harvest this Year in Bavaria.

Fribourg, Sept. 23. To Day a Courier from the Prince of Baden pass'd through this Place, in his Way to Prince Eugene of Savoy ; to acquaint him that P. Lewis will speedily detach some Troops to reinforce him, and that one Regiment shall begin its march the 25th Instant.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated October 1.

Francfort, Sept. 27. Some Days ago 15 Waggons were sent from hence, with Boats for Bridges that were made here, for the Use of the Emperor's Army in Italy : And to Day the Regiment of Bareith, detach'd from the Army on the Rhine under Prince Lewis of Baden, was to begin its March for Italy.

Hamburg, Sept. 25. The Duke of Wolfenbuttel and the Prince of Saxe Gotha, have agreed with the Emperor to send each a Regiment to Italy ; and 'tis believ'd some other Princes of the Circle of lower Saxony will likewise grant some Troops to the Emperor to serve under Prince Eugene.

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Warsaw, September 19. The Deputies have seldom assembled in open Diet of late, but have private Meetings; so that 'tis hard to get true Information of what is now in Agitation; We are assur'd however of this, viz. that a Resolution is taken to send 2 Deputies to the Cardinal Primate and to the Field-Marshal of the Crown, to desire them once more to repair hither, the latter with as great a Number of his Troops as he can. The Deputies are likewise said to have had under consideration some Projects for raising Troops for the Service of King Stanislaus after his Coronation.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated October 2.

'Tis advis'd from Warsaw, that on the 19<sup>th</sup> of September a Report was made in the Diet, which sat that Day, of all that had pass'd in the private Conferences of the Deputies; and that the Coronation of King Stanislaus was appointed to be on the 4<sup>th</sup> of October.

Dantzick, Sept. 23. We have Advice, that the King of Poland has been oblig'd to cause the Bishop of Wermeland, on whom he had formerly conferr'd great Favours, to be seiz'd and put under Confinement, upon a Discovery of his holding a secret Correspondence with his Majesty's Enemies. And 'tis reported here, the Loyalty of the upper Field-Marshal of the Crown to his said Majesty, begins to be a question'd.

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Hamburg, Sept. 29. The last Advices from Poland tell us the Czar of Muscovy is expect'd to come to the Saxon and Polish Troops confederated for King Augustus, that are encamp'd at Tykocin; his Czarish Majesty having left the Conduct of the Siege of Riga to General Czermethoff. The Muscovites have attack'd Bauske, the taking of which Place will render them Masters of all Courland. Baron Prinz, is arriv'd in the King of Sweden's Camp at Blonia, from the Court of Berlin. 'Tis advis'd from Saxony that the King of Poland is at Dresden still, and that his Troops have not yet pass'd the Oder.

Saturday September 29 1705, being the Day appointed for the Election of a Lord Mayor, Sir Thomas Cooke, Sir Thomas Rawlinson, Sir Robert Bedingfeld, and Sir William Withers, Knights and Aldermen; being the Four Senior Aldermen under the Chair; are recommended to the choice of the Common Hall, two to be return'd to the Court of Aldermen for a Lord Mayor for the Year ensuing.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, to Morrow being Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> of September, will be presented, A Comedy, call'd, The Committee: or, The Faithful Irishman. The Part of Teague to be perform'd by Mr. Estcourt, with Singing by Mr. Ramondon and the Boy; And Dancing by Monsieur Charron and others.

AT the Theatre in Little-Lincolns-Inn-Fields, this present Friday, being the 28<sup>th</sup> of September, will be presented a Comedy, call'd, The City Politiques: With several Entertainments of Singing and Dancing, viz. A Two-Part Song Compos'd by the late Famous Mr. Henry Purcell, never in Print, perform'd by Mr. Cook and Mrs. Hodgson, beginning at My dearest my fairest, &c. And a celebrated Song Compos'd by Mr. Eccles for Her Majesty's Birth-Day, by Mr. Cook. A Dance by Mrs. Bruce, in imitation of a Country Farmer's Daughter; as likewise a Chacone by her taught by Mr. Elford. Note, Mr. Pack plays his own Part of Crafty.

These Plays are Sold by R. Wellington at the Dolphin and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, where you may have most Navigals.

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